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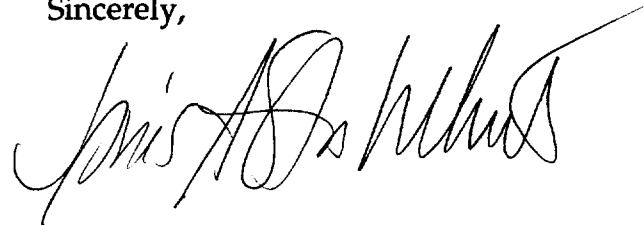
Re: CC Docket No. 92-91/Informal Data Request

Dear Ms. Searcy:

The attached information was submitted today by U S WEST Communications at the informal request of the Tariff Division staff in conjunction with the above-referenced proceeding. Please include a copy of this information in the record of this proceeding.

Acknowledgement and date of receipt of this submission are requested. A duplicate letter is attached for this purpose.

Sincerely,



Attachments

cc: Mr. Tom Quaile (w/o Attachments)
Mr. Stan Wiggins

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Re: **CC Docket No. 92-91, Informal Data Request**

TOM
Dear Mr. Quaile:

On December 22, 1992, U S WEST Communications (USWC) submitted materials pursuant to a data request from Mr. Gregory J. Vogt, Chief of the Tariff Division, Common Carrier Bureau, to Mr. James F. Britt of Bell Communications Research. The materials submitted reflected updates and revisions made to USWC's BSE costs and the Switching Cost Model (SCM) since the initial tariff filing on November 1, 1991 (Transmittal No. 206). These revisions included:

USWC's inclusion of all BSEs in the SCM model. In Transmittal No. 206, certain BSEs were supported with cost models other than SCM. Since that time, USWC has moved all BSEs into the SCM model.

The SCM FEATURES model has been upgraded to run on an EXCEL platform. Programming changes have been made to speed execution and improve file layout. These changes have no impact on the output of the model.

The updated model information submitted on December 22 reflects a new base period. The new data uses a forward looking assumption of 100% digital technology.

The revisions reflecting new data and inclusion of all BSEs in the SCM model are consistent with comments made throughout this proceeding by the intervenors.

The intent of USWC's December 22 filing was to comply with Mr. Vogt's data request which asked BOCs what revisions and corrections had been made

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since the initial November 1, 1991 tariff filing. The materials were also submitted to Arthur Andersen for their further sensitivity analysis. At this time, USWC has not sought to update the support material or rates contained in Transmittal No. 206 since the information now populating the model is based on a different base period. The updated model and information will be used in USWC's 1993 Annual Filing. A rerun of the per unit installed investment for all BSEs is attached for your use in reviewing the revisions submitted on December 22.

Acknowledgment and date of receipt of this letter are requested. A duplicate letter is attached for this purpose.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Ashburn". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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Attachment

cc: Ms. Mary Brown
Mr. Greg Vogt
Mr. Stan Wiggins

| Element | Description | Per Unit installed Investment |
|--|---|-------------------------------|
| MULTILINE HUNT | | |
| W | HUNT GROUP ARR PER LN BSE | \$ 1.45 |
| <i>1993 study updated technology weightings, SCM core investments, switch generic information (processor milliseconds).</i> | | |
| UCD | | |
| AD | UCD ARR PER LINE BSE | \$ 18.37 |
| (new) | QUEUING FOR USE WITH UCD (PER LINE) | \$ 284.31 |
| AC | - Per queue slot in group - REC | NA Digital Technology |
| | DELAY ANNOUNCEMENT | |
| | STANDARDIZED ANNOUNCEMENT | |
| Y | - Per announcement - REC | \$2941.44 |
| AW | - Per queue slot in group - REC | NA Digital Technology |
| <i>1993 study updated to 100% digital using SCM. (1992 study used SCIS.)</i> | | |
| ANI | | |
| J | ANI PER ATTEMPT CST1,2,3 BSE | \$.000287 |
| <i>1993 study updated technology weightings, SCM core investments, switch generic information (processor milliseconds).</i> | | |
| DID TRK TERM: REC AND NRC | | |
| H | CDND PER TRK TRM DID BSE | \$ 22.72 |
| <i>1993 study used the CDND feature modeled in SCM. The 1992 study used DID Trunkside Termination as a surrogate feature for CDND in SCM (which included digital trunk investment not required by CDND).</i> | | |
| MAKE BUSY | | |
| R | -Per line and/or group - REC | \$ 25.84 |
| <i>1993 study updated to SCM,. (1992 SCIS study assumed no CO investment in DMS switches.)</i> | | |
| MESSAGE DELIVERY SERVICE | | |
| AT | - CALL DATA I/O CENTRAL OFFICE FACILITY, ea - REC | \$ 858.15 |
| AU | - MDS ARRANGEMENT PER I/O C.O. FACILITY - REC | \$ 28.87 |
| AV | - CALL DATA, PER LINE - REC | \$.12 |
| <i>1993 study updated to 100% digital using SCM. (1992 study used SCIS.)</i> | | |
| THREE WAY CALLING | | |
| AM | -PER LINE - REC | \$ 3.83 |
| <i>1993 study updated technology weightings, SCM core investments, switch generic information (processor milliseconds), and traffic data analysis for updated SCM inputs..</i> | | |

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|----|--|-----------------------|
| AL | CALL TRANSFER | |
| | - PER LINE - REC | \$ 15.68 |
| | <i>1993 study updated technology weightings, SCM core investments, switch generic information (processor milliseconds), and traffic data analysis for updated SCM inputs..</i> | |
| BB | CALLER IDENTIFICATION - BULK (BCLID) | |
| | - CALL DATA I/O CENTRAL OFFICE FACILITY, EA - REC | \$858.15 |
| AP | - PER MULTILINE HUNT GROUP TERMINATING IN CALL DATA I/O CENTRAL OFFICE FACILITY - REC | \$1316.49 |
| AQ | - PER CALL RECORD TRANSMITTED, PER MESSAGE - REC | NA Digital Technology |
| | <i>1993 study updated to 100% digital using SCM (1992 study used analog and SCIS.)</i> | |
| AS | CALLER IDENTIFICATION - NUMBER (ICLID) | |
| | - PER LINE (NUMBER ONLY) - REC | \$ 2.51 |
| | <i>1993 study updated technology weightings, SCM core investments, switch generic information (processor milliseconds), and traffic data analysis for updated SCM inputs..</i> | |
| AR | CALL FORWARDING VARIABLE | |
| | - PER LINE - REC | \$ 6.47 |
| | <i>1993 study updated technology weightings, SCM core investments, switch generic information (processor milliseconds), and traffic data analysis for updated SCM inputs..</i> | |
| B | ANSWER SUPERVISION LINESIDE | |
| | -PER LINE - REC | \$ 35.86 |
| | <i>No significant change in methodology.</i> | |
| M | DID TRUNK QUEUING | |
| | - PER DID NUMBER EQUIPPED- REC | \$ 34.93 |
| AX | - PER QUEUE SLOT IN GROUP - REC | NA Digital Technology |
| | - DELAY ANNOUNCEMENT | |
| | STANDARDIZED ANNOUNCEMENT | |
| AY | - Per announcement - REC | \$2941.44 |
| AZ | - Per queue slot in group - REC | NA Digital Technology |

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